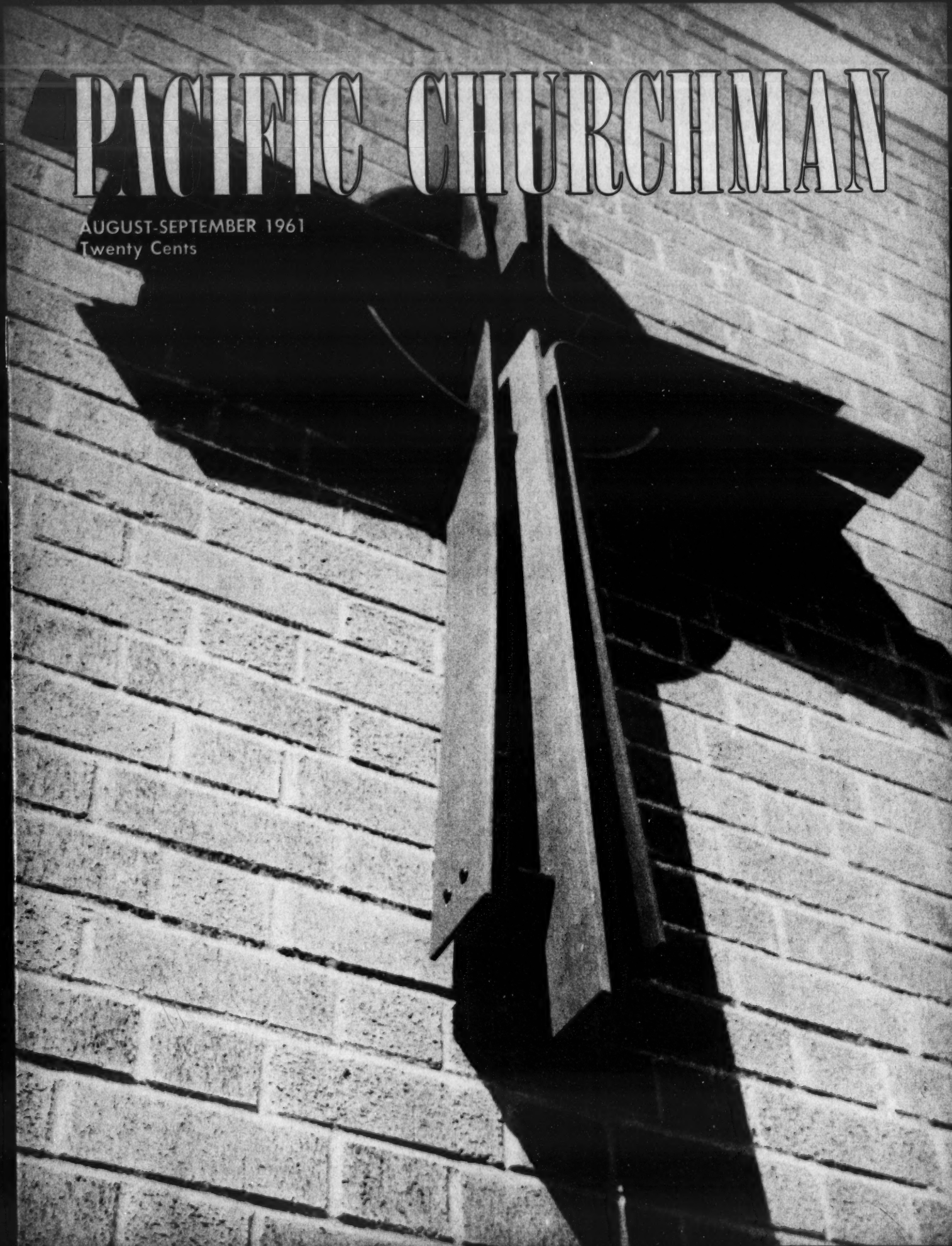


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The new Archdeacon will continue to fulfill his duties as director of community relations for the Diocese, with responsibility for the divisions of social relations, communications and inter-church relations. He was also named a canon-to-the-ordinary of Grace Cathedral. His new official title is the Venerable Canon D. W. Betts, and he is properly addressed as Archdeacon.

In his new post Archdeacon Betts will serve as a general adjutant to the Bishop and, in particular, will take charge of the strengthening and extension of urban work of the Church in the Diocese, notably in San Francisco, the East Bay and the Peninsula and San Jose. To facilitate his work, he has moved from San Rafael to a new San Francisco home at 46 Divisadero Street.

Archdeacon Betts has just completed a year of service in the Diocese, following his arrival from Providence, R. I. where he had served as Dean of St. John's Cathedral and director of community relations for the Diocese of Rhode Island. There he served actively in urban work, acting as chairman of a study group for rehabilitation of a large section of Providence and head of the committee which put the project into effect under a federal grant.

Previously he had served with Bishop Pike when the latter was Dean of the Cathedral of St. John the Divine, New York, and director of its community relations. An authority of church architecture, he was co-chairman of the City-wide Slum Prevent Committee of New York and has served in many capacities since his ordination. He is a graduate of Washington & Lee University and Virginia Theological Seminary. He is married to the former Elaine Wiswall of Loudenville, N.Y., and the father of three children.

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Church Women Present Thank Offering

The multiple role of the ministers of the Church in the far flung missions of Alaska as school teachers, first aid experts, dog team ambulance drivers and gravediggers was described by ex-Alaskan missionary, the Rev. Warren R. Fenn, curate of the Church of the Advent, San Francisco, last week.

The occasion was the Fall Ingathering of the United Thank Offering of the women of the Diocese of California, held at the Church of the Transfiguration, San Mateo, on Friday morning August 25. The Bishop celebrated the Holy Communion. Host rector, the Rev. B. Jean Clark, announced that the service was open to the public.

The money given by the women of the Diocese of California will be part of the offering which will be made at General Convention in Detroit when representative women from all parts of the Episcopal Church will present an estimated four million dollars which they have collected during the last three years. Sometimes dubbed "prayerful pennies" because the women say a prayer of thanksgiving as they deposit their nickles and dimes daily in the individual paper boxes, the money supports missionaries throughout the world. It provides nurses, hospital equipment, school and church among its many efforts to bring help and hope where no one else is doing so.

"The material aid," Fr. Fenn says, "is convincing evidence of the missionaries' primary teaching about a good spirit who cares for people instead of the multitude of evil spirits that most primitive people fear."

Henry Ohlhoff Anniversary

The Henry Ohlhoff House last month observed the third anniversary of its opening with a report from The Rev. K. L. Sandercock, its priest-director, that 517 men have been admitted during that period for treatment and rehabilitation for alcoholism.

DEVOTIONAL LIFE IN EXTENSIVE SCHEDULE

A full program of activities for the final half of 1961 was announced this week by the Division of the Devotional Life, of which the Rev. C. Corwin Calavan is chairman.

A series of week-end devotional retreats at St. Dorothy's Rest and the Bishop's Ranch is scheduled as follows:

Sept. 29-Oct. 1—Women Only, St. Dorothy's

Oct. 6-Oct. 8—Men Only, St. Dorothy's

Nov. 3-Nov. 5—High School Students, Bishop's Ranch

Nov. 24-Nov. 26—Husbands and Wives, Bishop's Ranch

Dec. 8-Dec. 10—Men and Women, Bishop's Ranch

Reservations Limited

The retreats at St. Dorothy's Rest will be limited to the first 30 applicants and will entail a registration fee of \$13, while those at the Ranch will be limited to the first 50 who apply, with a registration of \$15. Registration forms are available from Mrs. Carol Diggle of 2420 Tice Valley Blvd., Walnut Creek.

Also announced was a two-day retreat for clergy, to be followed by a day of instruction on the methods of conducting retreats and quiet days. This will be held at the Bishop's Ranch on November 7-9, and reservation may be made with The Rev. John E. Daley, 1336 Fifth Avenue, Belmont.

A School of Prayer, open to all interested persons, is to be given in St. Stephen's Church in Orinda on seven Tuesday mornings at 10 o'clock, beginning September 26. Father Calavan, the Rector, will offer the classes, and five similar classes on Sunday evenings at 7:30 p.m. beginning October 15. Child care will be provided for parents participating.

Missions Announced

Meanwhile, a series of missions arranged by the Division, consisting of services of teaching, intercessions and the laying on of hands, will be conducted in the Diocese this fall by The Rev. John Maillard of Newton Abbot, Devon, England. Father Maillard is editor of The Healing Life Magazine, author of many books on healing and for many years was director of the Milton Abbey Sanctuary of Healing. His appearances will be as follows:

Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, September 10, 11, 12, Grace Cathedral

(September 12th — Reception of persons into the Order of St. Luke)

Thursday and Friday, September 14, 15,

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St. Mary's by the Sea Vestry Totals Range of Parish Responsibilities

The Vestry at St. Mary's by the Sea, Pacific Grove, California, took a major step at a recent meeting in giving themselves the responsibilities a church must take in fulfilling its Christian obligations to the Diocese the Convocation, the outreach of missions, and its work within its own parish community.

A group of five interested Parishioners, including the Rev. Harvey Buck, spent 60 man hours of study evaluating the general areas covered in the "out reach" and the Parish responsibilities. The purpose of this was to see how well St. Mary's by the Sea was doing its job.

It was felt by this group that too much is often pushed off on the Priest as the logical person to take care of these various responsibilities. However, for a Priest to cover all these areas, and do what he should be doing as a Pastoral Father, allows very little time to do a good job of anything. It was also felt that Vestrymen are quite often chosen as good churchmen, willing to sit on a Vestry for three years, but may not have ever had the full scope of their responsibilities explained to them.

A "Scope of Responsibilities" was listed as follows:

Senior Warden—the Rector's Warden
Junior Warden—Church Properties and the People's Warden

Armed Forces—Responsible for our ever changing Army and Navy Personnel

Christian Education — Covering our Christian Education Program at St. Mary's by the Sea

Church Music—Problems of organists, choir and maintenance of organ and music library

Communications—Public Relations — Cover our Parish publications and all articles submitted to other publications

Diocesan and Convocation Relations — Brings these two areas and their activities to our Vestry and Parish

Episcopal Men—Looks out for activities and interests of the men

Episcopal Women—Same as the Episcopal Men's obligations

Episcopal Youth—Includes looking for leadership in the area

Sidesmen and Hospitality—Is responsible for Sidesman schedules and the welcoming of new people into the Parish

San Rafael Academy to Open New School Year

San Rafael Military Academy opens its 1961-62 scholastic year with classes beginning at 8 o'clock Monday morning, September 11.

Parents and families of enrollees have been invited by the new rector and headmaster. The Rev. Sumner Walters, Ph.D., to join with him and faculty members on Sunday afternoon, the day previous, to meet the counsellors and teachers of the nearly 300 boys who will be students at the Episcopal school.

Meanwhile, Dr. Walters scheduled a faculty conference over the Labor Day week-end at the Bishop's Ranch, beginning at 6:00 p.m. Saturday, September 2 through Monday afternoon, September 4. Although a "working conference," faculty members were invited to bring their families to the Ranch for the week-end.

This year's faculty members include Albert Agnew, Lee Alfred, John Azer, Mary Bennett, Lyle Cochran, Merle Coppock, John Corley, William Firth, Tod Fleming, Larry Fulton, Janie Gustafson, Stephen Hackett, Peter Hayward, Robert Kidd, John Oliver, Brice Pace, Normal Paterson, James Rhoades, Johanna Rhoades, Phil Roark, Richard Robert, Lawrence Robertson, John Terry and O. S. Wagner.

Social Relations and Mission—Takes care of the Parish concern and outreach in its Community and the Mission field of the Church

Stewardship and Finance—Deal with Time, Talent, and Money, and Chairman the Finance Committee of the Vestry

"With the acceptance of this program by the Vestry, we now have a system by which each Vestryman will cover a particular responsibility, and in the future our incoming Vestrymen will be chosen to cover the area specifically," declared the rector.

"If this is something that any reader feels he would like to know more about—and we feel this offer is basically to Priest and Vestries—we would be glad to send a more detailed explanation of this new outlook — 'Scopes of Responsibilities'."

Horton Reports to Head Seaman's Work Program

Clifford Horton, former director of the highly-successful Seaman's Church Institute at San Pedro and more recently a secretary of the home department of the National Council, on August 1 assumed duties with the Diocese of California in the study and possible reactivation of a church for seaman in the San Francisco Bay Area.

Mr. Horton's employment was approved by Diocesan Council at its May meeting when it voted to use that part of the income from the Monteagle Consolidated Endowment Fund designated for seamen's work. It was the sentiment of Council that employment of a qualified person in this field would represent a proper use of funds which were lying idle at the very time that San Francisco remained one of the few major ports in the world without facilities of the Anglican Church available to seamen. Council felt that this represented not merely a serious break in the Anglican mission around the globe but also a reminder of "our long-standing failure to recover the ground lost by the unfortunate closing of the Seamen's Church Institute here in 1934."

Mr. Horton, who developed the award-winning seaman's program at San Pedro, will be committed to a 14-months employment, or until money in the seaman's fund is exhausted. Council expressed hope that by that time the Diocese may be in a position to continue the work, depending upon revival of public interest in the work and financial condition of the Church. Mr. Horton was one of three consultants who surveyed the seaman's problem in 1958 and submitted recommendations to Council.

In addition to his seaman's work, which will be his primary responsibility, Mr. Horton will serve as executive director of the section on the handicapped in the Division of Social Relations, his specialty at the National Council. He hopes to be invited into parishes and missions with the sole objective of education. He will solicit no funds on such visits.

Attorney Is Postulant

Among the postulants for Holy Orders enrolling at Church Divinity School of the Pacific in September will be William P. Clancy, Jr., 35-year-old assistant United States Attorney in San Francisco, it was revealed last week. Married and father of two children, Clancy has served as criminal prosecutor in government cases for the past two years here, after moving from Washington, D.C. He now regularly attends St. Matthew's and Church of the Transfiguration in San Mateo.

YORK SCHOOL EXPANSION CONTINUES WITH NEW HIGH SCHOOL CLASS ADDED

By Arthur McEwen

Though York fall term entrance examinations have already been held, prospective pupils may still apply. Parents should communicate at once with the rector and headmaster, the Rev. Dr. Emod L. Brunner, 818 Forest Avenue, Pacific Grove; FRontier 2-4202.

Two new phases in the growth of York School will be reached this fall at the threshold of its third academic year as the first Episcopal boys' college preparatory institution founded within the Diocese of California.

Autumn will see addition of first-year high school classes to the present seventh and eighth grades, another stride toward York's ultimate goal of a complete junior and senior high school curriculum on a level comparable to long-renowned eastern schools.

New Acreage

Concurrently, acquisition of several acres for a spacious permanent campus is in progress. Since its founding in 1959 the school has struggled along in temporary quarters owned by the Diocese at Pacific Grove on the Monterey Peninsula. The new location is on oak-studded central California terrain, sufficiently secluded yet readily accessible via the nearby Monterey-Salinas highway.

As part of a big planned greenbelt community in a hitherto untouched sector now protected by zoning, it has many natural features well suited to York's long-range needs for establishment of an ideal educational center. These requirements included immediate construction of several classroom units and recreational facilities, plus as soon as feasible a number of other buildings as the nucleus of a campus.

The latter include faculty residences, boarders' living quarters, a chapel and a library.

Space exists also for an adjacent girls' campus, a development contemplated after the present undertaking is well under way.

Future Plans

In both academic and physical aspects creation of a campus is approached by the Diocese, the headmaster and the trustees as a carefully-planned whole for the present and future. The aim of York as a school is carefully calculated, too—cultivation of capable, inquisitive young minds along the most essential paths between elementary education and higher learning — minds with a fundamental grasp of our best religious and ethical heritage.

This objective is being pursued on a scale permitting close instructor-student contact as a daily guide to the pupil and within the intellectual and spiritual climate traditional with the secondary schools of the Episcopal Church. Enrollment, however, is by no means limited to Episcopal youngsters.

During its two years' existence, York's pursuit of its aim has achieved measurable success. A fundamental factor is limiting classes to 15 students each, adopted at the outset by the rector and headmaster, the Rev. Dr. Emod L. Brunner.

York is sponsored by the Episcopal Diocese of California. It is supported mainly by tuition (on a par with other specialized boys' schools), plus the efforts of parents, trustees and supporters. The list of scholarships and gifts has grown appreciably.

President of the board of directors is the Bishop; trustees include several York parents, and prominent laymen of the San Francisco Bay and Monterey Bay areas, as well as clergy of the Monterey Convocation.

Bishop Comments

In commenting recently that five additional parochial schools being established this fall plus existing ones in the Diocese can serve as transmission belts to furnish a desirable and supplementary supply of students to York, Bishop Pike had this to say about the prep school itself:

"The first declaration of long-range policy I delivered on my becoming Bishop of the Diocese related to the importance of our developing strong schools, not only in the specific interests of the Church, but for the better education of the young people of the area—non-Episcopalians as well as Episcopalians.

"Happily we have two new preparatory schools through a very active Division of Schools of the Diocesan Council, and the ground work has been laid for the development of sound parish day schools by next fall, when we expected to have five new schools of that type."

The present faculty under Dr. Brunner includes Mrs. Arthur H. Black, Cdr. James S. Neill and Leo Kohler. The Rev. Robert S. Morse has been appointed associate rector, with special concern for development. Other new appointees are Dr. Hanna Lohnberg and the Rev. Peter Farmer. The latter is vicar at Carmel Valley and Big Sur, as well as headmaster of the new parish day school at All Saints' Church in Carmel.

DELEGATES HEAD FOR GENERAL CONVENTION

Long-range action on many matters of spiritual, social, economic and health concerns will occupy the official attention of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the U.S.A. when it meets in its sixtieth triennial General Convention in Detroit, September 17-19.

Bishop Pike, who will head the delegation representing the Diocese of California along with the Suffragan Bishop, this week asked prayers for the deputies and success of the meeting at its deliberations.

Deputies from the Diocese are the Very Rev. C. Julian Bartlett, the Rev. Sherman E. Johnson, the Rev. Charles M. Guilbert, the Rev. Waiter Williams, and Messrs. Caspar Weinberger, Emmett Solomon, Donald George and Lloyd Hamilton. Alternates include the Rev. Lesley Wilder, the Rev. Robert Clingman, and the Rev. B. Jean Clark, and Messrs. Herbert Ward, Philip Adams, Aubrey Hackshaw and Clifton Kroll.

Cobo Hall in Detroit will be the scene of the General Convention, made up of the House of Bishops and the 670 members of the House of Deputies. Among the wide range of subjects for discussion are the shortage of clergy, the proposal for union among Episcopal, Methodist, Presbyterian and United Church of Christ denominations; racial discrimination; full communion with the United Churches of North India and Pakistan and inter-communion with the Philippine Independent Church; expansion of the Church's worldwide mission; the problem of increasing alcoholism, a proposal to hold smaller conventions annually rather than the general meeting triennially, and the budget for the next three years.

Episcopalians Nationally May Now Aid Cuban Refugees

Resettling Cuban refugees, a program largely shouldered so far by the Diocese of South Florida among Episcopalians, can now be aided by other Dioceses, according to advices from the National Council.

Episcopalians may now help either by making housing and employment available for Cubans in cooperation with their parishes, or by supporting the Churches' refugee resettlement work, with donations to the Presiding Bishop's Fund for World Relief at 281 Park Avenue South, New York 10, N.Y.

MISSION PRESBYTERY STAGES GRASS ROOT 'THERAPY' TO COMBAT YOUTH DELINQUENCY

By J. G. Stalker

The four churches comprising the diocese's new presbytery in San Francisco's Mission District serve what has been described as "a hard core of the city's area of juvenile delinquency."

Meeting the challenge posed by their location, they have devoted their major efforts during the summer of 1961 to a youth welfare program designed to administer "grass roots" therapy to the community ailment.

More than 200 young people, including both pre-teens and teenagers, have been afforded healthful outings, and instruction in religious principles and in arts, crafts and games, both in the city and in the country.

Recruitment extended not only throughout the Mission District, but also into other areas where there was obvious need for the service.

No Discrimination

Neither racial nor denominational lines were drawn in designating those to be included. The majority came from underprivileged homes. Many came from homes wrecked by divorce or separation of parents. A great number were potential delinquents. Nearly all were poor. While it was requested that all who could should pay the modest costs of the recreation, only a few could do so. The expenses of the others were borne by private benefactors who without exception requested anonymity.

The prime purpose of the program was to charge the children with a sense of personal worth and dignity and a recognition of their responsibility to the community, and to inculcate the fundamental doctrines of the Christian faith.

Need for such an effort was emphasized by the Rev. A. Morgan Tabb, veteran counselor to San Francisco's juvenile court, during an address at St. Barnabas Church, early in July, inaugurating the program. Father Tabb said:

"The fact that most of our metropolitan centers have almost declared war on the 'teen-ager' is an indication that there has been a breakdown in parental authority, a lack of respect for law, and a weakening of incentive, and an awareness that he lacks status.

"He feels that he is regarded as fun-seeking, irresponsible parasite whose position in the family is precarious under the most favorable circumstances. . . .

"We have shattered his dreams with violence and sex in channels of entertainment, we have taught him that he must hate to survive; and we have told him that though material success is the root of all evil, it is the only yardstick by which his achievements are measured. . . ."

The presbyterial enterprise was executed under the supervision of the Rev. Ralph Bonacker, rector of the Church of St. John the Evangelist, and general presbyter of the Mission Presbytery. He arranged two phases for the program.

Tours of Interest

The first was localized. It routed some 130 youngsters on tours to points of interest, most of which they never before had visited, in San Francisco and down the Peninsula. The trips were alternated with classes in religion, arts, crafts and games.

Inspected in San Francisco, for example, were Fleishhacker Zoo, the Planetarium in Golden Gate Park, where lecturers explained what is known about the mysteries of the Universe, and the Maritime Museum at Aquatic park. The indoor classes were conducted in the parish halls of St. John's and Good Samaritan churches.

The children participating in these activities were returned to their homes each night. Their program ended July 28.

Then, on August 6, the second phase opened, and some 75 boys and girls were taken to the Bishop's Ranch, near Heraldsburg, to enjoy two weeks in the country.

Each day there began with a simple form of Morning Prayer, and the remaining hours were occupied by instruction in games and folk dancing, hikes and swimming. Tanned and fit, these vacationers were brought back to San Francisco August 19.

Volunteers Cited

The burden of counseling and instruction in both divisions was shouldered mainly by eight dedicated and trained young adults, some of whom came from the Eastern seaboard to lend their minds and hands to the work.

They were headed by Jeffery Rowthorn, of Newport, England, a graduate of Union Theological Seminary in New York, who now is enroute to Oxford, where he will continue his studies for the priesthood at Cuddeson Theological Seminary, of which the Archbishop of Canterbury is an alumnus.

Others on the team included:

Leon McDougal of Medford, Ore., a senior at Church Divinity School of the

Associate Rector For St. Peter's, Redwood City

On August 1st, the Rev. Stuart N. Anderson began his duties as Associate Rector of St. Peter's Episcopal Church in Redwood City.



REV. S. N. ANDERSON they have three children. He was born in Brooklyn, N.Y., and attended schools there, finishing his college work at Stanford University in the fields of history and secondary education.

While preparing for the Ministry at the Church Divinity School of the Pacific in Berkeley, he served as Seminararian-in-Charge of St. Cuthbert's Church in Oakland from 1953-1955 and also as a summer camp director for the Boy Scouts. After graduating from the Seminary in 1955, Father Anderson served as College Chaplain at San Jose State College and Assistant Rector at Trinity Church, San Jose. In 1957 he was appointed the founding vicar of the new Mission in East San Jose.

Pacific, who looks forward to ordination to a diaconate in the Oregon diocese.

Miss Anne Wheeler, off Marblehead, Mass., who is a senior at Wheelock College, Boston, and who for three previous summers has worked among the Dakota Indians.

Miss Rose Bowen, of Charleston, W. Va., who now is studying sociology at St. Margaret's House, in Berkeley.

Miss Gaylan Barton, of San Francisco, daughter of the Rev. Lane W. Barton, Jr., vicar of St. Barnabas' church, who is the son of the Bishop of East Oregon.

Miss Margaret Foote, of Boise, Idaho, daughter of the Rt. Rev. Norman Foote, Bishop of Idaho, and a student at Boise Junior College.

Miss Jean Susan Graham, of Wilmington, Del., a graduate of Oberlin College, and currently assistant student counselor and assistant to the chaplain at Syracuse University, New York.

Mrs. Winifred Cruickshank, of Alameda, who also is studying at St. Margaret's House, and who is active in youth work at Christs Church, Alameda.

These young people could not carry the entire burden, of course. They were assisted from time to time by a dozen or more adults who volunteered from parishes throughout the Bay Area.

The congregations constituting the Mission presbytery are those of St. John's, Holy Innocents, The Good Samaritan, and St. Barnabas.

PACIFIC CHURCHMAN MARKS CENTENNIAL

By Col. Carroll Peake

Few persons, with the possible exception of students of early California history, realize it, but our own Diocesan publication "*Pacific Churchman*" this year is observing its own centennial.

And as our monthly Church paper enters its second century of service to the Diocese, it does so without the trials and tribulations that beset the publishers in those hectic days of one hundred years ago.

Two men, prominent in the history of the Diocese of California, the Rev. Dr. John Leonard Ver Mehr, founder and first rector of Grace Church, and Col. David S. Turner were responsible for the establishment of "*Pacific Churchman*." Credit for the idea belongs to Col. Turner.

The story of the founding of the paper is found in part in Dr. Ver Mehr's book "Checked Life," published in San Francisco in 1877, a little known work that is eagerly sought by collectors of Californiana.

Born in Belgium

Born in Belgium and a distinguished soldier during the Napoleonic wars, Dr. Ver Mehr came to the United States in 1843, and in 1846 was ordained by Bishop Doane of New Jersey.

Appointed by the Board of Missions to establish a church in San Francisco, he sailed from New York in February, 1849, by way of Cape Horn. He arrived in San Francisco in August, only to find that the Rev. Falvel Mines had made the trip by way of Panama, arrived in June and established Trinity Church.

The two clergymen discussed the situation, and Dr. Ver Mehr decided to remain in San Francisco and establish a second parish, Grace. And the first warden of the new church was Col. Turner.

A devoted Churchman, as well as one of the outstanding citizens of San Francisco, Col. Turner was a member of the first Standing Committee, a delegate to the first Diocesan Conventions, and did much to keep the struggling little parish on its feet. Historians recall Col. Turner as one of the leaders of the first Vigilance Committee of 1851.

Following the arrival of Bishop Kip in January, 1854, Dr. Ver Mehr resigned as rector of Grace Church and went to Sonoma, where he founded a school, St. Mary's Hall, and later returned to San Francisco.

Idea Broached

It was in February, 1861, Dr. Ver Mehr wrote, that Col. Turner called on him to discuss founding the Diocesan paper.

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Supreme Bishop of Philippines Visits

A distinguished San Francisco visitor this month en route to General Convention at Detroit will be the Supreme Bishop of the Philippine Independent Church, the Most Rev. Isabelo de los Reyes.

The Bishop will arrive here Wednesday evening, September 13, and remain in San Francisco through the 15th. Bishop Pike and Diocesan leaders are planning a reception and functions in his honor during his local stay.

Volunteers Needed For Thrift Shop at St. John's

The New-to-You Thrift Shop, on 16th Street west of Valencia in San Francisco, operated by St. John's parish, said leaders last week, urgently needs concerned men and women to volunteer their services as sales people half-days or full days regularly each week. The work is light and does not require standing. No experience is necessary and the shop is easily reached by bus, Nos. 26 and 22.

Under the leadership and management of Mrs. Ralph Bonacker, wife of the rector of St. John's, and staffed exclusively by volunteers, the Thrift Shop was opened several weeks ago, to run on a permanent basis. Hours are 10 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. daily except Sunday. Staffed by men, the shop is open Friday nights until 9 p.m. The stock is made up of used merchandise in good condition, and includes clothing, housewares, furniture, books, sports equipment and a long list of miscellaneous items. Gifts of any such articles are welcomed by the Thrift Shop, which will gladly arrange pick-up service.

The Thrift Shop is St. John's pragmatic way of providing financing for much of its community service program in the intensely populated, lower income and multi-racial Inner Mission District, where human and spiritual needs are pressing and in fact limitless. Following an effective summer program devoted primarily to children, the church's Fall pattern will include activities reaching various age levels, each phase closely coordinated with the spiritual life of the parish. To maintain this program, neither the manpower nor the finances of the parish is adequate, and a "Peace Corps" type of aid from other churchpeople and their friends is needed.

A phone call to Mrs. Bonacker at HEmlock 1-7822 will bring full information on how to help in this vital area of service.

SANDERCOCK CITES ALCOHOLICS' NEEDS

The Episcopal Church today is an active participant in the battle to help the five million American men and women to whom alcohol is a necessity, but needs to know more about the disease that afflicts them, according to the priest-director of The Henry Ohlhoff House in San Francisco.

Writing in the September issue of The Episcopalian, Father Sandercock declared that because alcoholism is a spiritual problem primarily, the Christian Church has a special opportunity to be of assistance to the afflicted alcoholics. Church people, he writes, are more understanding and less prone to demonstrate disgust and condemnation.

Father Sandercock, whose leadership of the local Church-sponsored hostel for alcoholics has drawn national commendation, emphasizes the fact that the medical profession recognizes that the victim is suffering from an incurable disease but is one who can be saved. The alcoholic can effect a recovery, but not by himself. He must have help, and this can come from his family, his friends — and the church.

In the article, Father Sandercock lists a series of suggestions on how to help the alcoholic.

Personal Prayer Life Series at St. Patrick's

St. Patrick's Church in El Cerrito will be the scene of a school in "personal prayer life" on the evenings of September 17, 18 and 19, to be conducted by the Rev. Vern L. Adams of the Holy Cross Monastery at Santa Barbara, it was announced this week by The Rev. John D. Spear, vicar.

The programs will get underway nightly at 8 p.m., with celebrations of the Holy Communion each morning, followed by opportunities for personal counselling. Slides will be shown of the life and work of the Order of the Holy Cross on the evening of the 19th.

Father Adams has been a member of the monastic community for 21 years and has served in such varied ministries as to the Paiute Indians of Nevada, the inmates of Sing Sing prison and the boys of St. Andrew's School near Sewanee, Tenn. In addition to his school appearances, he will preach at the 8 and 10 a.m. services at St. Patrick's on September 17.

S.F. Trinity Adopts Tithing Principle

Tithing "as a Christian responsibility and privilege" has been adopted by the Vestry of Trinity Church, San Francisco, as policy to meet present and future obligations of the parish, and has been received with enthusiastic response by parishoners.

This was revealed last week as plans for a series of six additional meetings were outlined by the rector, the Rev. James Shaw, for the purpose of arriving at concrete plans "for the future." The tithing proposal was laid before a meeting of the parish recently, during which it drew warm support.

"The consensus of the Vestry was that any and all financial problems could be readily eliminated if all parish contributions were on a tithing basis," it was reported by L. L. Newby, correspondent for Trinity.

"While such a policy is by no means a new thought," the report states, "tithing has often seemed a goal unattainable to the average parishoner. The plan was laid before a well-attended meeting of the parish, where it was received with most encouraging enthusiasm. Some members of the parish are already tithers, and a surprising number expressed themselves as working toward that goal.

"An important result of the tithing program will mean doing away with the Every-Member Canvass and other fund raising programs within their attendant labor and uncertainties. There is every indication from the initial favorable response and the cooperative parish spirit which has thus far been exhibited, that the ultimate success of the program will be achieved."

With Vestry adoption of the tithing principle, it was pointed out, "it would then follow that this goal might be achieved by encouraging all members to demonstrate their stewardship to God's work by contributing on a tithing basis."

Saint Andrew's School Opens

Saint Andrew's School, offering classes to kindergarten and first-grade pupils, is scheduled to open on Monday, September 11, it was announced last week by the Rev. Roy W. Strasburger, rector of St. Andrew's Church at Saratoga. Mrs. W. F. Nameny will serve as principal and general executive for the new school, with Mrs. Fred Taylor as kindergarten teacher and Mrs. Dwight Hulse in charge of the first grade. The Rev. Henry Jesse, Jr., will serve as chaplain.

SOCIETY OF CELTIC CROSS AIDS MISSIONS



A check covering commitments of \$4,300 for scholarship aid in overseas Anglican seminaries has been given by the Society of the Celtic Cross, the student-faculty missionary society of the Church Divinity School of the Pacific, Berkeley.

The money is pledged by seminarians and faculty and offered at the weekly celebrations of the Holy Communion in the CDSP chapel. During a visit of the National Council, the check was being pre-

sented to Lindley M. Franklin, Jr., treasurer of the National Council, to be distributed to designated schools.

From left to right in the picture above are Mr. Franklin, Joseph Carlo (Los Angeles), president of the Society; the Rt. Rev. Arthur C. Lichtenberger, presiding bishop; John Fuller (Los Angeles), treasurer of the Society; and Joe Dubay (Oregon) missionary chairman.

PERSONALLY SPEAKING ..

Miss Barbara Arnold, college worker at San Jose State for the past three years, has been named to similar duties at the University of California at Berkeley . . . the Episcopal Bishop of Cuba, the Rt. Rev. Alexander Hugo Blankenship, has resigned, owing to ill health . . . Bishop Pike was among those who offered best wishes to the Rev. Lewis A. Baskerville at a banquet recently honoring him as he ended 15 years of service at St. Augustine's Church in Oakland and departed for a post in Dallas, Tex. . . . the Very Rev. Brian W. Whitlow, Dean of Christ Church Cathedral at Victoria, B.C., was a recent guest preacher at Grace Cathedral . . . Bishop Pike officiated at services in the Cathedral in which the Rev. Canon John S. Yaryan, newly-named director of Christian Stewardship for the Diocese, was installed as a Canon of the Cathedral . . . the Rev. William Smith, Curate of St. Peter's Church at Redwood City, has resigned that post to move to Austin, Tex., where he is joining the staff of the Christian Faith-and-Life Community, an ecumenical institute concerned in both re-

search and training with the renewal of the Church through a recovery of the ministry of the laity . . . The Rev. John A. Harms, curate of St. Lukes Church, San Francisco, a former Baptist minister, was ordained to the Sacred Order of Priests by Bishop Pike at ceremonies there this month, with Archdeacon Betts, priest-in-charge, presenting his assistant . . . a 16-year-old Carmel Valley youth, Jeffrey Dennis-Strathmeyer, represented the Episcopal Young Churchmen of the Diocese at the North American Ecumenical Youth Assembly at the University of Michigan this month . . . a recent preacher at the Church of St. Matthew in San Mateo was the Chancellor of St. Paul's Cathedral of London, the Rev. Canon Frederick A. Hood . . . The Bishop last month named the Rev. William Frankhuizen, vicar of the recently organized St. Giles' Church in the Orinda-Moraga area.

St. Timothy's Nursery School

A nursery school for four-year-olds will be opened during September at St. Timothy's Church in Mountain View, it was announced last week. Classes will be limited to 14 children in two groups, one meeting on Monday, Wednesday and Friday, the other Tuesday and Thursday.

BISHOP PIKE ORDAINS 10 CANDIDATES IN SERVICES AT GRACE CATHEDRAL

Ten candidates for the Episcopal priesthood were ordained to the diaconate at 11 o'clock services Sunday morning, June 25, in San Francisco's Grace Cathedral.

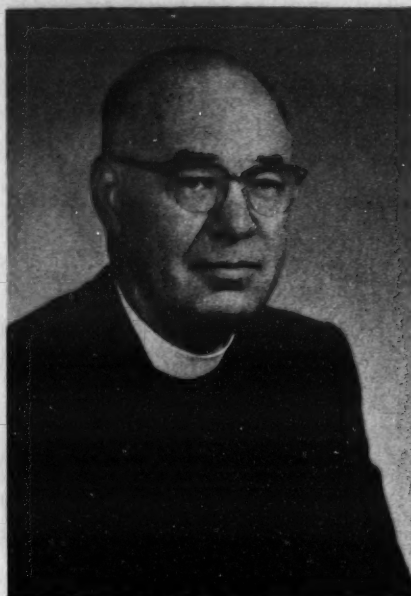
The young men, graduates of Episcopal seminaries throughout the United States, including Church Divinity School of the Pacific at Berkeley, all applied as postulants through the Diocese of California, and were ordained by Bishop Pike, who celebrated the Holy Communion.

Sermon of the day was delivered by the Rev. Claude C. Boydston, Rural Dean of the Convocation of San Luis Obispo, General Presbyter of the Central Coastal Presbytery and Rector of St. Stephen's Episcopal Church at San Luis Obispo, followed by the Litany for Ordinands by the Very Rev. C. Julian Bartlett, Dean of the Cathedral. The Epistle was read by George Livermore, lay vice-president of the Diocesan Standing Committee and member of its Department of Missions, with the Holy Gospel being read by one of the newly-ordained deacons, the Rev. Gene E. Curry.

The ten candidates, following Sunday's ordination, are required to serve as deacons for a minimum of six months before becoming eligible for ordination as Episcopal priests.

Those ordained Sunday and their assignments are:

1. John P. Cobb, native of Winnetka, Ill., and graduate of Harvard University, curate of Christ Church, Cincinnati, Ohio.
2. William Marden Cowans of Redlands, Calif., where his father was Rector of Trinity Church, curate of St. Mark's Church, Palo Alto.
3. Gene E. Curry, San Luis Obispo, former student at California Polytechnic Institute, curate, Trinity Church, Midland-Texas.
4. Charles P. Dickey, native of Oakland and graduate of the University of California, curate of St. Paul's Church, Burlingame.
5. William J. Frankhuizen, native New Yorker and graduate of Harvard, vicar of the new St. Giles' Mission at Moraga.
6. Donald E. Ganoung, native of Oakland and graduate of the University of California, vicar of Good Samaritan Mission, San Francisco.
7. Preston T. Kelsey II, native of Montclair, N.J. and graduate of Dartmouth College; Church of the Transfiguration in San Mateo to develop a mission in eastern San Mateo County.
8. Robert M. Kidd, a native Pennsylvanian and graduate of Pennsylvania State



FATHER WARREN R. FENN

New Assistant at Church of the Advent

The Rev. Warren Richmond Fenn last month assumed the post of assistant to the Rev. James T. Golder, rector of the Church of the Advent at San Francisco.

Father Fenn and the rector have been personal friends since their seminary days at Nashotah House in Wisconsin more than 30 years ago, and comes to his new assignment after a lengthy and varied record of service that included 20 years in Alaska. Ordained in 1931, it was under his leadership that the mission at Anchorage attained parish status and he became its first rector. He represented Alaska at the 1941 General Convention, leaving the Territory 11 years ago to become vicar of St. Paul's Church at Port Townsend, Washington, where he remained until 1959, when he returned for post-graduate studies in Wisconsin.

Father Fenn will occupy the clergy apartment in the Advent building.

College; to teach at San Rafael Military Academy.

9. Christopher F. Neely, Cincinnati, Ohio, graduate of Massachusetts Institute of Technology, who plans to do graduate work in Ohio.

10. Edward H. Rankin, native of Berkeley and graduate of the College of the Pacific, honorary assistant, Grace Cathedral, San Francisco.

Papal Encyclical Draws Comment From Bishop Pike

Pope Pius' Encyclical, "Mater et Magistra," issued in mid-July, drew wide approbation from Protestant clerical leaders, including Bishop Pike, except on one point—birth control.

Speaking from his summer vacation home in Massachusetts, Bishop Pike termed the Roman Catholic prelate's 25,000-word statement "a splendid example of the exercise of the Judeo-Christian prophetic tradition—the relating of the faith to man's corporate concern."

But he differed with the Pope's assertion that "a renewed scientific-technical effort" that would broaden man's control over nature should be exercised rather than birth control to meet the critical problem of world over-population. Bishop Pike said that his "one necessary disagreement" with the Pope grew out of the reference to the birth control issue and reflected the position of the Anglican Bishops and the National Council in supporting the "best medically approved methods" as a means of controlling population expansion.

Bishop Pike added that the Pope's encyclical "comes at a good time, as race-haters and the 'radical right' in this country are seeking to destroy the National Council of Churches and undermine the leadership of the respective Churches because of their application of the Gospel to society."

The Rev. Dr. Truman B. Douglass, executive vice-president of the Board of Home Missions of the Congregational Christian Churches, agreed with Bishop Pike, declaring it "regrettable that Pope John should have so courageously have demanded all-out aid for undeveloped nations, then denied them succor for one of their most acute problems, birth control."

Cathedral Services Told

Grace Cathedral in San Francisco is an extremely busy church and center of activities, it was revealed last week by Bishop Pike. During 1960 the number of services conducted in the Cathedral totaled 1,952 with a total attendance of 105,182 persons, and with 29,278 Communion administered.

St. Mary the Virgin Bazaar

The Episcopal Church Women of St. Mary the Virgin, Union and Steiner Streets in San Francisco, are presenting their annual Bazaar on Saturday, October 28th. Numerous attractions as well as luncheon will be offered at this affair to be held from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.



NEW CHRIST CHURCH, ALAMEDA, PLANNED

Construction of the new Christ Church in Alameda, at the intersection of Grand Street and Santa Clara avenue, where the historic former church structure had been a landmark for nearly three-quarters of a century, is scheduled to get under way in November.

The Vestry and rector, the Rev. Wilfred H. Hodgkin, are hopeful that the new church will be finished by late fall of 1962. First phase of the building plan, which includes the corner structure but not the Parish Hall, will cost \$370,000.

The old church burned down in a spectacular blaze during the night of December 27 last year and since then the parish Building Committee, under chairmanship of Fred Stole, has been working with the architectural firm of Treichel and Gibbs, Oakland, on the design of its replacement. The City Planning Commission approved plans for the church three months ago.

The low walls and high pitched roof of the old church are carried into the design of the new one, as are the cruciform shape and large curved arches in the nave and sanctuary. The new building will seat 567 persons, all with an unobstructed view of the altar and sanctuary. Included in plans

are six class rooms, an assembly hall and small chapel and sacristies. The new Parish Hall will seat 380 persons and possess kitchen facilities, storeroom and workshop. The Lych Gate will continue to serve as the main entrance to the church, whose ultimate cost will approximate \$500,000. Curate of Christ Church is the Rev. John A. Schively.

MORE ON PARISH LIFE

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The Department of Education, it was pointed out, is prepared to assist parishes in planning Parish Life Conferences and will recommend clergy trained to lead them. Three months' notice is required, however, and requests for use of the Bishop's Ranch should be made six months in advance, due to its congested calendar of events. With completion of the Bishop Block Memorial Cottages there, it is hopeful that two conferences at a time may be held at the Ranch.

"The conferences can best be held for groups of between 20 and 30 and are often planned with members in attendance from several parishes," the chairman added. "There should never be fewer than five from any one parish, however."

Many Participants

Parishes and missions which have par-

ticipated in such programs during the past year include St. Paul's, Burlingame; St. Francis, San Francisco; Church of Our Savior, Mill Valley; St. Mark's, Berkeley; All Saints, Carmel; St. Mary's, Pacific Grove; St. Christopher's, San Lorenzo; Church of the Ascension, Burlingame; St. Paul's, Salinas; Holy Spirit, North Salinas; St. John's of Ross, San Jose State Canterbury and the Regional Canterbury Conference.

In order to stimulate planning of conferences in new parishes and missions, the Department's Adult Section is prepared to underwrite the cost of the leadership, where required, the Rev. Mr. Shackell pointed out. Leaders who have participated in such conferences, besides the chairman, include the Rev. Robert Hoggard, the Rev. Canon Richard Byfield, Mr. Lloyd Clark, Mr. Kenneth Warren, the Rev. John Ashey, the Rev. Jack Geene, the Rev. Martin Knutson, the Rev. Jean Clark, Canon Hoy and the late Rev. John Midworth.

Capitola Smorgasbord

A Parish Smorgasbord, first of what it is hoped will become an annual affair, was announced this week for September 10 by The Rev. John T. Whiston, rector of the Church of St. John the Baptist at Capitola.

LAYMAN'S SCHOOL OF RELIGION MAPS YEAR

"Three-fourths of everything we teach in seminary is what a well-educated layman ought to know."

This statement was made recently by the Very Rev. Sherman E. Johnson, Dean of the Church Divinity School of the Pacific and a member of the Board of Trustees of the Laymen's School of Religion. The Laymen's School heartily subscribes to this statement and, in the two years of its existence, has developed a carefully worked out curriculum that is tailored to the layman.

The School offers a unique opportunity for the layman to obtain a systematic, theological education on a year-round basis. Study is open to any adult with a desire to learn, and a willingness to think deeply about the Christian faith and its relevance for life today.

The School, responsibly related to major denominations, offers a chance to study the beliefs, experiences and developments of the Christian faith. Classes are taught by professors from Bay Area seminaries and qualified church leaders.

Last year, in addition to regular classes, the School sponsored a weekend retreat in Marin County, where the "text" for discussions was T. S. Elliot's "The Cocktail Party." In August, a one-day conference on Martin Buber, led by Maurice Friedman, teacher of philosophy at Sarah Lawrence College and author of *Martin Buber, Life of Dialogue*, was held at the Pacific School of Religion in Berkeley.

A new course entitled "Teaching Adults" will be offered this fall. It is designed primarily for teachers of adult classes and leaders of adult discussion groups, and will be concerned with the theological, psychological and dialogical theories of adult education.

The first term of the fall, 1961 semester begins the week of September 18; the second term begins the week of October 30. To date classes are scheduled in Berkeley, Millbrae, Sonoma, Hayward, San Anselmo and Burlingame. Other classes can be scheduled on request.

A catalogue of courses may be obtained by sending 25c to Laymen's School of Religion, Box 655, Berkeley, California, or by asking any rector or vicar to see his, which will be mailed to him with the Bishop's newsletter early in September.

Sister Grace Elizabeth Given National Honor

Sister Grace Elizabeth, under whose direction the Day School program at the Church of St. Matthew in San Mateo has



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attained notable stature has been elected to the National Council of the Episcopal Schools Association for a two-year term, it was announced last month.

She will succeed The Rev. Kenneth W. Cary as one of the three representatives on the Council from the Division of Parish and Day Schools, according to The Rev. Lesley Wilder, rector of St. Matthew's, who added:

"I consider this a well-deserved recognition because it was Sister Grace who started our Day School program here at St. Matthew's eight years ago with only nursery children the first year. Since then, under her careful supervision, the school has grown through the sixth grade."

In a letter to the Rev. Canon Trevor Hoy, director of the Diocesan Department of Education, the San Mateo rector added that he was "delighted to learn of the other parishes . . . who plan similar schools this fall."

Priest Leaves Bequest To His San Francisco Church

An Episcopal priest who rendered invaluable service to many San Franciscans during the fire and earthquake of 1906 made provision in his will for a bequest to the Church of the Advent of Christ the King, 261 Fell Street, of which he was rector more than 50 years ago.

The Rev. James T. Golder, present rector of the parish, announced last week, that a bequest of \$15,000 had been received from the estate of the Rev. Charles N. Lathrop, who died in 1931. Under terms of the will, Father Gelder said, a considerable portion of the bequest was designed to meet the cost of a memorial to Father Lathrop's sister, Olive Stevens Lathrop. Nature of the memorial is to be determined by the rector and vestry of the parish.

Salvation Army Visitor

An August visitor to the Diocese was Commissioner Robert A. Hoggard, an international leader of the Salvation Army, who appeared as lector at a Grace Cathedral service while visiting his two sons in San Francisco, The Rev. Robert E. Hoggard, assistant pastor of the cathedral, and Arthur Hoggard. Accompanied by Mrs. Hoggard, the Commissioner, who has commanded the Army program in New Zealand, Sweden, Central United States and Great Britain, was en route from London to Long Beach for a speaking appearance.



Students of All Ages Make Up the Layman's School of Religion.

MORE ABOUT THE CHURCHMAN

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"Our Church" said Col. Turner, according to Dr. Ver Mehr's account, "thanks to the unceasing efforts of the Bishop, and the more or less effective ministrations of clergy ordained here, or come from the East, has at last assumed a 'position'."

"There is a diocese and that a very large one; even Oregon has its missionary bishop; the Pacific Coast seems to need a 'representative', a paper wherein the scattered sheep of the flock can find how matters stand east and west.

"Such a paper is a necessity. The various denominations have one, even the Romanists; we alone keep silence."

Dr. Ver Mehr asked who would publish such a paper, and Col. Turner introduced him to a printer, recently arrived in San Francisco, saying:

"He is willing and competent, and even desirous of lending his aid, and risk the undertaking."

But who, asked Dr. Ver Mehr, would edit the proposed paper, and Col. Turner suggested that he "take the responsibility."

Now Dr. Ver Mehr felt some bitterness towards the Church. When the vestry of Grace had requested his resignation, they explained that because of his foreign accent he was not understood in preaching. In his memoirs Dr. Ver Mehr wrote:

'Foreign' Accent

"The proposal flattered me, I must confess. If I could not be understood on account of my 'foreign' accent, perhaps I might be clear enough in print. There may be some apparent bitterness in this remark, but I truly say just what passed through my mind that very morning."

As a result of that conversation, the first issue of "Pacific Churchman" appeared on March 15, 1861. A week later the second issue came off the press.

"It seemed to please," Dr. Ver Mehr wrote. "There was an increase of subscribers; not enough to encourage our well-meaning publisher. Advertisements, those strong financial supports for any paper, were not so plenty in those days as now.

"After six weeks, the publisher began to see that some 'capital' is necessary for any enterprise; and as he had none, no more than I, and there seemed not to be enough church spirit to create one, he looked somewhat forlorn."

According to Dr. Ver Mehr, the Rev. Dr. S. C. Thrall, rector of Trinity and "the most influential clergyman in the city" was "never much in favor of the

paper" and refused his support to the struggling publication. So, in a few weeks time publication was suspended, not to be resumed for another five years.

In 1866, the Civil War being ended, the Rev. T. W. Brotherton, M.D. who was later to serve as first superintendent of St. Luke's Hospital, got several others interested, and once again "Pacific Churchman" appeared. An Englishman named Doyen was engaged as "editor, publisher and typesetter combined" while Dr. Brotherton and other clergy of the Diocese submitted articles. Subscription was set at "five dollars in gold per annum."

In 1867 the Rev. Dr. J. Lloyd Breck arrived in San Francisco with the ambitious plan to establish a college and seminary. Land was obtained at Benicia, and the Missionary College of St. Augustine opened in January, 1868. Shortly thereafter "Pacific Churchman" was moved to the college, and published there for the next couple of years.

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Wednesday, September 20, 10:00 a.m.
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Thursday and Friday, September 21, 22,
St. Francis', San Jose

Sunday (a.m.), September 24, 9:15 a.m.
to 11:00 a.m., All Saints', Carmel

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Monday, September 25, 10:00 a.m. to
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Christmas Card Volunteers

A call for volunteers to assist the Grace Cathedral Christmas Card Project, which began on Wednesday, August 23, was issued this week by the Bursar. Workers are needed for the project on week-days from 9:30 a.m. through 3:30 p.m., and on Monday, Wednesday and Friday evenings, from 7:15 to 9:30 o'clock. Volunteers are requested to contact Mrs. Skinner at PRospect 6-6611, Extension 60.

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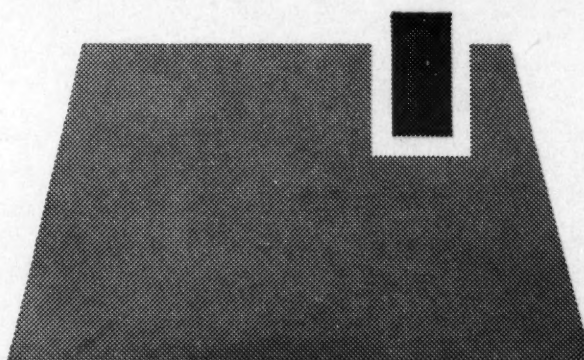
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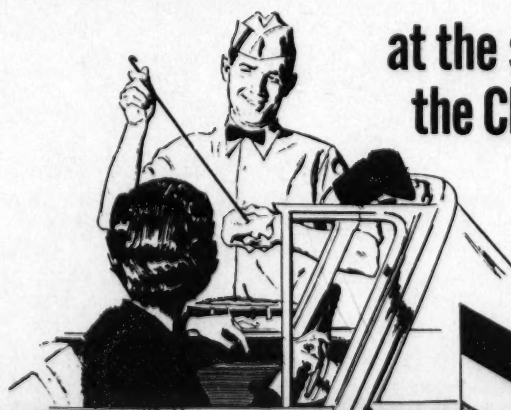
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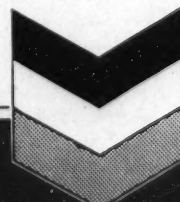
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The Division was created at the request of Bishop Pike and the Diocesan Council, through the Department of Ministry, of which the Rev. Robert C. Clingman is chairman.

A survey conducted by mail among clergy in the Diocese reflected their desire for more retreats, quiet days, schools of prayer and healing services. Acting upon the results of this survey group members have volunteered their talents to further devotional life in the Diocese.

Plans were discussed to hold an information conference for the clergy regarding the objectives of the Division of the Devotional Life, and to sponsor training sessions for those clergymen desiring to lead retreats, quiet days, schools of prayer and healing services. It was also agreed to hold more retreats for lay persons from September through May each year.

Future plans of the group include clergy retreats, a school of prayer in each convocation, quiet days and evenings for men, women and youth. It is the eventual hope of the group to organize a book store of devotional books, a traveling library, and to create interest in the establishment of a year round Retreat House.

Members of the Division include: Robert Brinkley, Mr. and Mrs. James A. Brown, Mrs. Roy Butcher, Mrs. Kirby Casebolt, Mrs. B. Jean Clark, Mrs. Carol Diggle, Mrs. Carol Etienne, Arthur Farwell, the Rev. Canon David Forbes, Dr. K. V. Francis, Donald George, Mrs. Wilfred Hodgkin, Miss Madeline Jacobsen, the Rev. Graham Lesser, the Rev. Robert Morse, the Rev. Gerárd P. Mundy, the Rev. John Powell, the Rev. Francis Read, Jesse Searles, Mrs. Harvey Skow, Miss Ethel Sudders, Kenneth Warren, the Rev. Lesley Wilder and the Rev. John P. Ashby II.

California Day Is Observed

Two services on Sunday, July 30, honored the State of California at the great Washington Cathedral in the national capital, it was revealed last week by Mrs. C. Corwin Calavan of Orinda, Central California regional chairman of the National Cathedral Association. A colorful procession of choir and clergy carried the national colors and the State flag to places of honor at the top of the chancel, and special prayers were offered for the work and welfare of California and its citizens.

Couple Wins Trip to General Convention

A Houghton, Mich., couple, Dr. and Mrs. Lawrence Rakestraw, are winners of the national essay contest on "Why We Are Episcopalians," conducted this summer by the magazine, *The Episcopalian*.

As such, they will enjoy an all-expense-paid week's trip to General Convention in Detroit, September 17-29, including accommodations at The Sheraton-Cadillac Hotel.

The winning couple will be escorted during their Detroit stay by Mrs. Elizabeth Bussing of San Francisco, one of the editors of *The Episcopalian*, who will also be on hand with other editors and writers to "cover" the Convention. The monthly magazine will serve as "eyes" and "ears" for many church people by assigning a staff of five persons to the Convention.

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